



UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
United States Patent and Trademark Office
Address: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450
www.uspto.gov

APPLICATION NO.	FILING DATE	FIRST NAMED INVENTOR	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.	CONFIRMATION NO.
09/618,596	07/17/2000	Robert A. Macina	DEX-0075	8607
7590	05/05/2004		EXAMINER	
Kathleen A. Tyrell Law Offices Of Jane Massey Licata 66 E Main Street Marlton, NJ 08053			HARRIS, ALANA M	
			ART UNIT	PAPER NUMBER
			1642	

DATE MAILED: 05/05/2004

Please find below and/or attached an Office communication concerning this application or proceeding.

Interview Summary	Application No.	Applicant(s)	
	09/618,596	MACINA ET AL.	
	Examiner	Art Unit	
	Alana M. Harris, Ph.D.	1642	

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) Alana M. Harris, Ph.D.

(3) _____

(2) Deborah Eric.

(4) _____

Date of Interview: 04 May 2004.

Type: a) Telephonic b) Video Conference
c) Personal [copy given to: 1) applicant 2) applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) Yes e) No.

If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: _____.

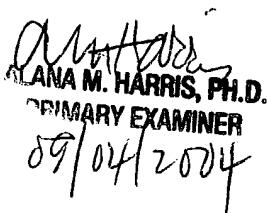
Identification of prior art discussed: _____.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) was reached. g) was not reached. h) N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Deborah Eric calling on behalf of K. Tyrell, Applicants' representative called the Examiner and pointed out that reference AA from an information disclosure statement (IDS) by applicant submitted January 25, 2002 had not been initialed. The IDS was faxed directly to the Examiner. The document was reviewed and an initialed copy of the IDS was promptly mailed.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP Section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN ONE MONTH FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE, OR THE MAILING DATE OF THIS INTERVIEW SUMMARY FORM, WHICHEVER IS LATER, TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached sheet.


ALANA M. HARRIS, PH.D.
PRIMARY EXAMINER
09/04/2004

Examiner Note: You must sign this form unless it is an attachment to a signed Office action.

Examiner's signature, if required